

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION IX

## 75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, CA 94105

Mark T. Freed The Louis Berger Group, Inc. 412 Mount Kemble Ave Morristown, New Jersey 07962

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request No. EPA-R9-2015-000445

Dear Mark T. Freed:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act request of 06 October 2014, regarding Satala Power Plant on the Island of Tutuila, American Samoa.

We are unable to provide you with the documents, or portions of documents, which have been determined to be exempt from mandatory disclosure by virtue of 5 U.S.C. 552(b), exemption 4-confidential business information and exemption 5-deliberative process and attorney-client privilege.

Enclosed you will find copies of some of the documents responsive to your request.

An itemized list by categories of the withheld material along with the basis for withholding is provided on the enclosure to this letter.

You may appeal this partial denial to the National Freedom of Information Officer, U.S. EPA, FOIA and Privacy Branch, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. (2822T), Washington, DC 20460 (U.S. Postal Service Only), FAX: (202) 566-2147, E-mail: hq.foia@epa.gov. Only items mailed through the United States Postal Service may be delivered to 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. If you are submitting your appeal via hand delivery, courier service or overnight delivery, you must address your correspondence to 1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room 6416J, Washington, DC 20004. Your appeal must be made in writing, and it must be submitted no later than 30 calendar days from the date of this letter. The Agency will not consider appeals received after the 30 calendar day limit. The appeal may include as much or as little related information as you wish, as long as it clearly identifies the determination being appealed (including the assigned FOIA request number - EPA-R9-2015-000445). For quickest possible handling, the appeal letter and its envelope should be marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

The Waste Management Division's RCRA Records Center is maintained by Toeroek Associates Inc., under contract to EPA Region IX. If you have any questions regarding the enclosed documents, please contact Ward Danner of Toeroek Associates Inc., contractor, at 415-947-4596.

Sincerely,

Jeff Scott, Director Land Division



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